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**BOX PATENT APPLICATION**  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s):

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**For: PROVIDING A PORTION OF AN ELECTRONIC MAIL MESSAGE BASED UPON DIGITAL RIGHTS**

**ASSIGNEE NAME: INTERNATIONAL BUSINESS MACHINES CORPORATION**  
**ASSIGNEE RESIDENCE: ARMONK, NEW YORK**

Enclosed are also:

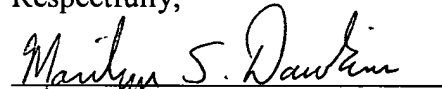
- ☒ 29 Pages of Specification including an Abstract  
☒ 8 Pages of Claims  
☒ 8 Sheet(s) of Drawings  
☒ Declaration and Power of Attorney  
 Form PTO 1595 and assignment of the invention to IBM Corporation  
 Preliminary Amendment  
☒ Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO 1449

**CLAIMS AS FILED**

FOR			Large Entity	
Total Claims	38 - 20	= 18	or x \$18 =	\$ 324.00
Independent Claims	5 - 3	= 2	or x \$86 =	\$ 172.00
Multiple Dependent Claim(s)			or + \$290 =	\$
Basic Fee:			or + \$770 =	\$ 770.00
Assignment Recording Fee:	(\$40 per assignee)		+ =	\$
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